

BILLIE RICHARDSON STOCKDOG CLINICS

Owner and Trainer to the first and only aussie to win the 2018 World Stockdog Champion

2 CLINICS AND Private lessons
BLACK BIRCH FARM SOUTH
7551 SE 181 CT
MORRISTON , FL
FEB 6,7,8 Fri, Sat, Sun
FEBRUARY 12,13,14 Fri, Sat, Sun
\$150 DAY PER HANDLERS
limited to 10 teams a day
AUDIT \$35 DAY
FASA ASCA all breed herding trial FEB 19,20.21

WE had a great time last year, so Billie was asked back by request. Every level of dog and handler is welcome, as are all dog breeds. Billie is a fun upbeat trainer and teacher and it's going to be a great time! Much learning and hilarity will ensue. Come and have some fun with us. We will have ducks , sheep and cattle available to work on. Plenty of shade and a dog wading pond.

You will be allowed to work more than one dog if you would like, but it will be during your turn. Billie does not limit the amount of turns you work to just once in the morning and once in the afternoon so we could potentially work our dogs 3 or 4 times a day. It will depend on how quick we are to be ready for our turns.

NAME:

EMAIL FOR CONFIRMATION

TEL NO:

TEXT yes or no

BREED AND AGE

LEVEL OF TRAINING

*****Preference will be given to those who sign up for a 3 day session*****

Please check all the days you would like to participate

FEB 6____ FEB 7____ FEB 8____

FEB 12____ FEB 13____ FEB 14____

PRIVATE LESSONS AVAILABLE

private lessons available while Billie is here Feb 3, Feb 23-text me to be added to the schedule-Diane Menard
508 615 3668--\$60 per 1/2 hr session

Make checks out to
Black Birch Farm
7551 se 181 ct
Morrison, Fl. 32668

Clinic payment in full will reserve your slot-refunds only if Covid related
I can take paypal too. Pipesmom1@yahoo.com Diane Menard FRIENDS AND FAMILY ONLY

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ABOUT BILLIE

My first aussie 'Cosmo' was the first dog I did herding with. He was more 'show' bred but we stuck with it. My first experience with herding was very positive but I found it very difficult after to find someone willing to believe in us. I watched "border collie" trials and clinics for many years and enjoyed it.

I attended a clinic in Saskatchewan with Trudy Viklund and she had Aussies that were AWESOME! I remember saying, one day I will have an aussie like that and ... I did. Trudy helped me get Dan and the rest is history as they say. I was lucky and particular who I picked as my trainer and mentor, they had to believe in me and my dog ... and they did ❤️

Dan was the first Australian Shepherd to qualify for the USBCHA (United States Border Collie Handlers Association) Nursery finals and he made the semi finals in 2013. He's also the first Australian Shepherd to qualify for the open finals. We competed in the 2015, 2018 and 2019. He has done well with both sheep and cows in the USBCHA competitions. He's placed well and won many trials both in arena and field. His biggest win was the 2018 World Stockdog Champion, the first non-border collie to ever win.

Dan has also had some good success in ASCA on cows, sheep and ducks. He's placed well over the years but we don't trial in ASCA much as field trials are more what we enjoy. Has also qualified and run in the 2017 ASCA Finals.

I have four other Aussies right now. I have 'Pink' who is 6, she's a Dan daughter. I've trialed her a bit but she doesn't enjoy it, she's a very talented dog at my farm that helps me daily.

Vinnie is 4, I have trialed him with both sheep and cows in USBCHA. He's a great young dog with plenty of talent. I will trial him in ASCA this coming year, complete his WTCH and start to accrue points for ASCA FINALS.

I have two up and coming youngsters, Ben (a Dan son) and Boots. I look forward to both of their futures.

My training style is simple, I want the dogs to understand pressure and go around their stock sensibility. I'm firm but fair, I want the dog to show some respect to the handler and the stock. It is my goal for people to see themselves and their dogs in a way they didn't know was there. I hope to inspire people to train and trial to be their best and not worry so much about the team next to you. Focus on your own set of dreams and they're more likely to come true.